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SUBJECT: OAU CONCILIATION AND MEDIATION COMMISSION MEET-
INGS, LIBREVILLE, AUGUST 5

REF: LIBREVILLE 1973, 1718, 1696, 1693, AND 1668; ADDIS
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1. REFTELS REPORT ON ESTABLISHMENT OF VARIOUS OAU COMMIT-
TEES TO STUDY BILATERAL DISPUTES BETWEEN ETHIOPIA AND
SOMALIA, ETHIOPIA AND SUDAN, AND LIBYA AND CHAD.
LIBREVILLE 1918 NOTES THAT A SEPARATE COMMITTEE OF EIGHT
MEMBERS ALREADY IN EXISTENCE WOULD EXAMINE THE DISPUTE
BETWEEN ETHIOPIA AND SOMALIA. WE ASSUME THAT THIS LATTER
COMMITTEE IS THE OAU CONCILIATION AND MEDIATION COMMISSION
CREATED IN MAY 1973 AND COMPRISING NIGERIA, LIBERIA,
SENEGAL, SUDAN, CAMEROON, TANZANIA, MAURITANIA AND LESOTHO.
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FBIS REPORT OF AUGUST 2 VOICE OF REVOLUTIONARY ETHIOPIA
BROADCAST INDICATES THAT REPRESENTATIVES OF ABOVE EIGHT
NATIONS WILL MEET IN LIBREVILLE BEGINNING AUGUST 5 TO
EXERCISE GOOD OFFICES IN ONGOING ETHIOPIA-SOMALIA
DISPUTE.

2. ACTION REQUESTED: FOR ADDIS AND LIBREVILLE: CONFIRMATION

OF ABOVE FBIS REPORT AND IDENTIFICATION OF ALL RPT ALL
EXISTING OAU MEDIATION COMMISSIONS WITH MEMBERSHIP OF EACH

COMMISSION. FOR LIBREVILLE: WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR CRANK-
ING UP YOUR EXCELLENT CONTACTS FOR REPORTING ON GOOD
OFFICES COMMISSION MEETINGS BEGINNING AUGUST 5, AND ON
SCHEDULED AUGUST 10 MEETINGS BETWEEN CHADIAN GOVERNMENT
AND OPPOSITION MOVEMENTS. CHRISTOPHER

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